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PATENT APPLICATION
Docket No. 15436.134.1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

Sir:

Applicant submits this paper in response to the Examiner's Office Action mailed November 24, 2004 (the "Office Action"). Reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks:

Listing of the claims begins on page 2 of this paper; and

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.